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and passed on arrival and 2 bills of health issued to vessels before leaving port.

Respectfully,

R. H. VON EZDORF,
Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

Inspection of immigrants at Santiago de Cuba during the week ended April 19, 1902.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, *April 19, 1902.*

SIR: I herewith submit report of alien steerage passengers arriving at this port during the week ended April 19, 1902: April 18, provisional flag steamship *Tomas Brooks*, from Kingston, Jamaica, with 4 immigrants.

Respectfully,

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ENGLAND.

Report from Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, ENGLAND, *April 26, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to state that for the week ended April 26, 1902, there were reported to the local health authorities 3 cases of smallpox; enteric fever, 19 cases; scarlet fever, 98 cases; diphtheria, 12 cases, and measles, 21 cases.

To-day I visited the Warren Line steamship *Kansas* and vaccinated those of the officers, crew, and cattlemen who could not show satisfactory vaccination scars or who had not had smallpox. For the week ended April 26, 1902, there were reported to the medical officer of health for Birkenhead, 1 case of smallpox; scarlet fever, 6 cases; enteric fever, 6 cases; continued fever, 2 cases, and measles, 24 cases.

Respectfully,

CARROLL FOX,
Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

GERMANY.

Plague and cholera in various countries.

BERLIN, GERMANY, *April 28, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to transmit the latest information obtained from the imperial health office at Berlin regarding plague and cholera.

Plague.

EGYPT.—From April 4 to April 10, inclusive, there were recorded 21 new plague cases (13 deaths), namely, 11 (7) in Decheneh, 3 (1) in Benha, 6 (5) in Kafr Rabieh, and 1 (—) in Ekwa. In Alexandria, according to a later report, there have been registered 2 new plague cases.

BRITISH INDIA.—In the Bombay Presidency, between March 15 and March 21 there were recorded 5,852 plague cases and 4,394 deaths—that